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Veterans returning from the last grand encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, have much to relate of their various experiences during the 50 years that have elapsed. It is said that several veterans of the Civil War from this city were fortunate enough to march on both the first and last of the occasion.

Among the names of those who braved the long tramp after half a century are Russell Glenn and Thomas E. Benedict, now a government inspector located at Bridgeport, and who was born in the little toll-house that formerly stood at the further end of Washington street bridge, then known as Noble's bridge. Veteran Benedict, seen upon his return to this city today, said: "The boys made a fine appearance in Washington and it was a grand sight to see the ranks have been greatly thinned since the last time I walked back from the South as one of Sherman's Bummers. I came through with that army on its triumphant return and never have seen the streets of Washington again until last week. To one who has not participated in these encampments there before it was a most inspiring yet pathetic sight. Mr. Benedict is a member of Adam Post post, New Haven, though enlisting from Bridgeport when he joined the Fifth Connecticut Volunteers, Col. Orris S. Ferry, of Norwalk, commanding."

AFTER "PROCESS" BUTTER MEN
Food and Dairy Commissioner Frank H. Shampeller is still after the unlawful dealers in "process," or renovated butter, and is determined to make offenders of this class live up to the law. Two Fairfield county dealers in this matter were a substitute for butter were summoned before the commissioner yesterday and their misdeeds will be laid before the county prosecutor for Fairfield county.

The Holland-America line steamer Nieuw Amsterdam sailed from New York for Europe.

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Bridgeport People Have Absolute Proof of Deeds at Home.

It's not words but deeds that prove the man. The deeds of Doan's Kidney Pills, for Bridgeport kidney sufferers, have made their local reputation. Proof lies in the testimony of Bridgeport people.

Edred Sorell, painter, 77 Merriam st., Bridgeport, says: "I was afflicted with kidney complaint and my back ached intensely. I couldn't rest night or day and was subject to headaches and dizzy spells. The kidney secretions passed irregularly and gave me no end of annoyance. Whenever I caught cold, it settled on my kidneys. I doctored for several years, but was getting worse and when friends recommended Doan's Kidney Pills, I began taking them. The first box relieved me and twelve boxes completely cured me. I am still free of all signs of kidney complaint."

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France Is Quickly Rebuilding Shell Stricken Frontier

Paris, Oct. 6.—Throughout the ruined villages of northern and eastern France, small one-story unpainted pine houses have appeared, like mushrooms overnight. Sermaleux-Bains, which had not a building left standing after the Germans were routed, today possesses ten of these miniature bungalows, with six more in process of erection.

The Quakers are the foremost of several societies engaged in assisting the former population to return to the land. The Society of Friends in England and America have raised over \$250,000 by voluntary subscription, and are constructing these one, two and three-room houses, depending on the size of the family—for sums ranging from \$4 to \$11 apiece. At present there are about 130 workers aiding the government in the work of restoration. The departmental authorities supply the lumber, while volunteer artisans of the Society, aided by soldiers who in civil life are carpenters and joiners, detailed by the ministry of war, do the building.

Two hundred of these houses, according to the government, have already been completed while 129 are under construction. In many instances furniture is supplied by the Society, the French government defraying half the expense. In the majority of cases the Fireside Comfort Society, whose sole aim is the distribution of furniture among the needy, supplies the few simple necessities. The tenants pay no rent, but agree to a certain per cent. of their eventual war indemnity, being withheld by the government. Besides building new houses, many others which were only partially destroyed have been repaired.

Friends conduct many other forms of relief. At Chalons-sur-Marne a maternity hospital was established. It is now used for all civilian cases, many injured during the bombardments of Rheims and Pont-a-Mousson being treated. At Bethancourt a convalescent home beyond the sound of the cannon, insures speedy recovery under more favorable surroundings. In several localities open air schools are conducted; at Hueve a modern school house has been erected.

Garden tools, quantities of vegetable and flower seeds, as well as poultry and rabbits have been supplied to the small agriculturalists. Through the aid of the American Clearing House five reaping and binding machines were sent with the 20 received from England to those Communards in greatest need. Many machines which were greatly damaged by fire and bombardment have been repaired.

In addition to these specific branches of relief, Quakers travel from place to place behind the lines distributing food, clothing, and other similar necessities to non-combatants.

Reality of War In Germany Kills All Theatrical Mimicry

Berlin, Oct. 6.—Berlin's second theatrical season since the war has begun is notable for its lack of warlike offerings. All the mass of plays and operas now presented or to be presented in the immediate future there are of a military nature. Both of these have been running for months, and are continuing because they have genuine dramatic value, rather than because the public fancy clamors for anything warlike.

Old times call this beginning of Berlin's theatrical season so nearly like the opening in peace times that it is hard to distinguish the difference. They base this opinion not alone on the attendance, which certainly is good, but on the very character of the offerings and the absence of plays suggestive of the war.

William Tell's Feat Recalled By Action of Tyrolean Soldier

Vienna, Oct. 6.—A remarkable feat of marksmanship is reported from the southwestern front, where many of the famous Tyrolean riflemen are fighting against the Italians. A troop of the so-called Kaiser Light Infantry, which was fighting on the Dobersdo plateau, got into a most precarious position in advance of the Austrian lines. They could not retreat as the ground over which they would have to run was fully covered by the Italian guns. They held their ground for several days, while suffering greatly for lack of food and water.

The Italian artillery was playing upon them with accuracy, being directed by means of a post of observers on higher ground than that held by the Tyroleans. It was regarded as necessary to get rid of that post, which consisted of eight Alpine, and a soldier who had made a reputation for himself in the Göttschal as a highly expert poacher volunteered to undertake the difficult task. Climbing stealthily by night, as if hunting chamois, he reached a hiding place in easy shot of the post, and when the night Italians began to stir the next morning he quickly picked them off, one after the other.

MURRAY NAMED CHIEF OF IMPERIAL STAFF

London, Oct. 6.—Major General Sir Archibald James Murray has been appointed chief of the Imperial General Staff at army headquarters in London, according to the Times.

Major General Murray was succeeded as chief of the general staff in March last by Major General Sir William R. Robertson. He had already established a reputation for gallantry in the present war, having been twice praised by Field Marshal French in official reports. He was inspector of infantry from 1912 to 1914.

Greek steamers at Naples and other Italian ports were ordered home.

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MANY AMERICANS FALL IN BATTLE NEAR CHAMPAGNE

Paris, Oct. 6.—Americans in the Foreign Legion who disappeared and are believed to have been killed in the battle in Champagne are Edmond C. C. Genet of New York, a grandson of Governor Clinton, and Paul Kavelka, both of the Second battalion of the First regiment; Lieut. Charles Sweeney, formerly of West Point; Jack Casey, formerly a New York newspaper artist; Robert Soubrian of New York, Frank Musgrave of New Orleans, Bob Scanlon, a negro pugilist; Frederick Zimm of Battle Creek, James Dowd of Brooklyn, Frederick Capdeville of New York, Dave King of Providence, Alan S. Egar of New York, and Elow Nelson of Milwaukee, all of the Second battalion of the Second regiment.

Wounded in hospital are D. W. Thoran of South Dakota, seriously in the back of the head; Charles Trinkard of New York, with two bullets in the right shoulder, and Dr. David Wheeler of Boston, the big game hunter and arctic explorer, formerly attached to the American Ambulance, who has a shattered leg. All are of the First regiment.

Dr. Wheeler was brought here by the American Ambulance today, a special permit being granted owing to his previous connection with it. When he was wounded he injected morphine, with which as a physician he was liberally supplied, into himself, and then crawled seven kilometers to the rear, pausing to inject morphine into many badly wounded men.

On Sept. 20 both regiments of the Legion were brought to Champagne. All citizens of the allied nations then had an opportunity to join their own armies or regular French regiments. The rest were merged into a single regiment of two battalions, 4,000 strong, the merger being completed on the 24th.

The regiment was then ordered to the front line of trenches on the left centre, where the Germans immediately shouted: "We know you, Foreign Legion. If you attack us we will get you this time."

The Germans hate the Foreign Legion worse than they do the British. The Legion was held until Sept. 22, it then led the assault on the German second line. The troops melted under the terrific fire, but rushed an apparently impregnable position and captured a fortified wood in the rear. Only 130 men survived of the Second battalion of the old First regiment. (A French battalion consists of 3,000 men.)

The last man Dr. Wheeler saw alive was the commandant, who was talking with him and a captain. When the latter was killed Dr. Wheeler was wounded.

FOUND DEAD ON TRACKS

Southington, Conn., Oct. 6.—Michael Brennan, 50, was found dead beside the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad tracks here. The head was crushed in, indications were that he had been dead for some time. He was a laborer employed locally and was unmarried. The medical examiner gave a verdict of accidental death.

Dr. M. R. Vennitch, Serbian Ambassador to France, was appointed Serbian Minister of Finance.

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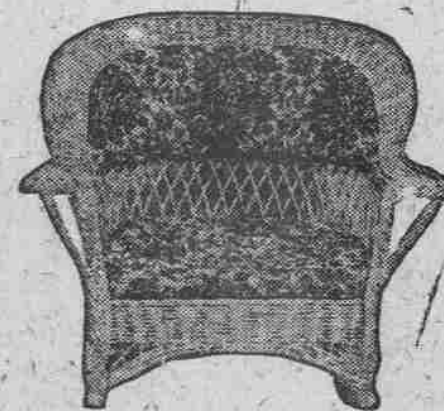
No matter what ails your child, a gentle, thorough laxative should always be the first treatment given. If your little one is out-of-sorts, half-sick, isn't resting, eating and acting naturally, Mother! see if tongue is coated. This is a sure sign that it's little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with waste. When cross, irritable, feverish, stomach sour, breath bad or has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, sore throat, full of wind, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated poison, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

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